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BY WULF

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to motor grader operator training.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 309.21A Motor grader operator
2 training.

3 1. A county, including the board of supervisors and the
4 county engineer, shall not employ or contract with a person to
5 operate a motor grader unless the person completes motor grader
6 operator training before the person operates a motor grader.
7 This subsection applies to persons employed or contracted to
8 operate a motor grader on secondary roads if the person has
9 fewer than five years of experience operating a motor grader.

10 2. Motor grader operator training must include training
11 in a classroom setting focusing on the concepts described in
12 subsection 3, and training behind the wheel of a motor grader
13 substantially similar to the motor grader the person will use
14 during the person's employment.

15 3. Motor grader operator training must include but is not
16 limited to all of the following:

- 17 a. Ideal roadway profile designs and application.
- 18 b. Proper grading techniques to ensure sufficient drainage
19 on roadways.
- 20 c. Standard roadway and shoulder maintenance methods.

21 EXPLANATION

22 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
23 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

24 This bill prohibits a county from employing or contracting
25 with a person to operate a motor grader on secondary roads
26 unless the person completes motor grader operator training if
27 the person has fewer than five years of experience.

28 Motor grader operator training must include training in a
29 classroom setting focusing on ideal roadway profile designs and
30 application, proper grading techniques, and standard roadway
31 and shoulder maintenance methods. Motor grader operator
32 training must also include training behind the wheel of a motor
33 grader substantially similar to the motor grader the person
34 will use during the person's employment.